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		First Inventor or Application Identifier Miyazaki, Mizuo
		Title Methods for Preventing Adhesion Formation Using Protease Inhibitors
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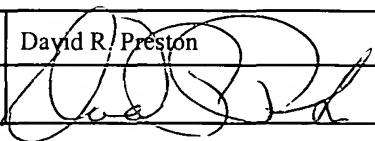
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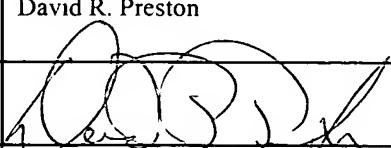
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139		139		Non-English specification	\$
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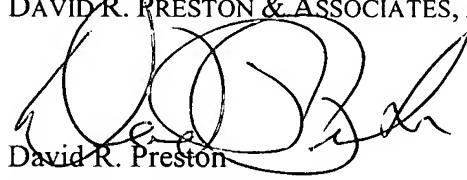
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